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SUBJECT: MAP GRANT TRAINING PROGRAM

REF: QUITO 1387

1. IN RECENT CONVERSATION WITH NEWLY-NAMED ECUADOREAN
NAVAL ATTACHE TO WASHINGTON, ADMIRAL EFRAIN PAREDES,
DEPTOFF WAS TOLD THAT ECUADOREAN NAVY ESTABLISHED AN
FMS ACCOUNT OF DOLS 100,000 TO COVER COSTS OF TRAINING
NAVY PERSONNEL AFTER FY 76 FMS GRANT TRAINING FUNDS
WERE EXHAUSTED. PAREDES ADDED THAT FOUR OFFICERS ARE
CURRENTLY IN THE U.S. UNDERGOING TRAINING WITH THESE
FUNDS. DOD COMPUTER RECORDS DO NOT YET REFLECT THIS
INFORMATION. WE BELIEVE THAT ESTABLISHMENT OF FMS
ACCOUNT, IF TRUE, ENCOURAGING SIGN OF ECUADOREAN
ENTHUSIASM FOR U.S. TRAINING AND FURTHER INDICATION
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OF EC NAVY RESOLVE TO PURSUE COURSE DESCRIBED BY

ADMIRAL POVEDA. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY
ADDITIONAL DETAILS ON THIS ACCOUNT IF AVAILABLE TO
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